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Schley at Santiago. U. S. Naval Secretary Grants Admiral's Request For Court of Inquiry.

Owing to the Hot Weather Investigation is Postponed Until September.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCreary left today for Victoria, B. C. Mr. McCreary, who is M. P. for Selkirk, will remain four days at the Coast.

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They Enjoyed Themselves. Tailors and Tailoresses Toiled Not Yesterday, Neither Did They Spin.

Pleasant Picnic on the Gorge by Knights of Thimble and Bodkin. Yesterday was a red letter day in the history of the local tailors' union.

ARRESTED BY RUSSIANS. A British Officer Detained by Cossacks—Japanese Tea Traded Discussed.

Chinese papers received by the N. Y. K. steamer Biopin Maru yesterday tell of a somewhat similar incident to that related in last evening's Times.

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THE STREET FAIR. Novelty to Be Present in Vancouver Next Month—Secretary in CH.

Secretary W. H. Lucas, of the Vancouver Street Fair, which takes place in August, is in the city making arrangements for an excursion from here on that occasion.

FOUL BREATH, CATARRH, HEADACHE. Are Banished by Agnew's Cathartic Powder. It Relieves in 10 Minutes.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS. Victoria Meteorological Office. 17th to 23rd July, 1901.

WANTED. Housemaid. Apply immediately to Mrs. J. G. Hibben, 127 Douglas street.

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FOR RENT. Furnished housekeeping rooms; also bedrooms, for single gentlemen. Apply at 127 Vancouver street.

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FOR SALE. Theodolite, etc. Apply Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.

FOR SALE. Cheap wood sawing outfit, engine, boiler, saw frame and chopper; also a five horse power boiler. Apply William Godfrey, No. 9 Princess street, Victoria.

FOR SALE. Singer Sewing Machines sold, rented, or repaired by Samuel B. Sutton, 45 Pender street.

FOR SALE. A twenty horse power steam boiler, brick yard. Apply at Jubilee Greenhouse, Douglas and Rae streets.

EDUCATIONAL. UPPER CANADA COLLEGE, Deer Park, Toronto, G. R. Parkin, C. M. G. I. L. D., Principal. The College re-opens for the autumn term on Wednesday, September 12th, 1901.

SOCIETIES. VICTORIA COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, meets first Thursday in every month at Masonic Temple, Douglas street, at 7:30 p. m.

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it will be compelled to give way some day, and, as we have pointed out before, the result of its efforts to hold Manitoba in check does not seem to warrant its attempting the same game in British Columbia. When governments and corporations go up against the will of the people, the ultimate result is never in doubt.

WHAT OF THE FUTURE? Fortunes will be made in farming in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories this year. The harvest will be even above the estimates.

Some very complimentary things were said of Canada and Canadians at the Dominion Day dinner in London. Mr. Chamberlain spoke in his usual vigorous style and hinted at the union which is yet to be; but General Ian Hamilton struck the popular chord, though a greater soldier than orator. He concluded as follows: "I feel that there is fitness in my being here tonight, for I have always felt that my first promotion was really attributable to the help I received in the Nile campaign of 1885 from a Canadian voyageur, I could not tell in words what I owe to Colonel Otter and to the Canadian Regiment, the Canadian Battery, and the Canadian Mounted Rifles who came my way and helped me at that time. I have also always found in my career that it has never done me any harm with Canadians to have been born and bred with the Gordon Highlanders. (Cheers.) There is a very close connection between the Canadians and Scotland. (Cheers.) I read only the other day that most beautiful Canadian boat-song: "From the dim shieling and the misty island Monteith divide us and a world of seas. But still the heart is true, the heart is Highland, And we bethold in dreams the Hebrides."

One of the Boer prisoners at Bermuda was interviewed by the correspondent of a New York paper, and his remarks, in spite of the attempts of the interviewer, could not be construed into a reflection upon his captors. The majority of the prisoners are Free States. They appear to entertain anything but kindly feelings towards their countrymen who were responsible for the war. One of them said: "I am a wagon-maker. Before the war broke out I used to earn £2 (\$10) a day at my trade. I own a farm, for which I have paid in full; at least I did own it. I suppose the British government owns it now. I was pressed into fighting. Had I refused I would have been shot. I know our cause is lost. All I want is to return to my family—my wife and my six children. I left them enough money to last them twelve months, but I have been away now for sixteen months. However, I trust the British government will take care of them."

The battle of Santiago is to be fought over again. Owing to the weather it is feared it will not be possible for the officers to direct the battle in uniform. Unfortunately, there is no dignity about a shirt waist, and these squabbles are such dignified affairs. After all even the mighty men of republics are subject to the weaknesses which afflict the "subjects" of emperors and kings, and they have not the art to conceal their emotions.

Eighteen thousand dollars were voted for surveys at the late session of the Legislature. This will probably cover the expenses of the expedition to the Hope Mountains. The vote was not intended for any such purpose, of course, but the ordinary survey work can wait. Even if there had been no such appropriation a way could have been found. The House would sanction special warrants to any amount for such a purpose.

Free trade has been proclaimed between Porto Rico and the United States. Listen for the wail of the "infant industries."

Another American many times millionaire, undated by the malignancy with which William Waldorf Astor was assailed, has proclaimed himself a "loyal" subject of King Edward. Notwithstanding the protests of the newspapers, the people of the United States seem to like being classed among "loyal" people.

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LEGAL NEWS. Crosby v. Cunningham Settled Out of Court—Chambers Lists. The case of Crosby v. Cunningham has been taken out of court. An agreement was reached by the parties to the case which was satisfactory to both sides.

LEGAL NEWS. Westwood v. Westwood—Application for examination by commission, Order made. Commission returnable in two months. Re J. H. Simpson re Legal Professions Act—Application to tax costs, Order made by consent.

LEGAL NEWS. Re Victoria Tax Sale By-Law, 1900—Application to confirm, Order made; also for taxation of costs. Estate of Charles R. McCusky, will allowed to stand over.

LEGAL NEWS. Clark v. Nathan—Application to issue and serve writ out of jurisdiction, Order made; application to be made 21 days after service of writ. Harian v. Hallett—Motion to extend time for filing affidavits. Time extended for one month, defendant to have liberty to apply to set aside order at any time on giving two days' notice.

LEGAL NEWS. Magistrate Hall sentenced to six months' imprisonment this morning a man named Thomas Lewis charged with vagrancy. Besides a drunk and a bicycle offender, the only other case in court this morning was that of the Dominion Trading Stamp company, which was again adjourned.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT. Entries for the Various Events Close This Afternoon. Entries for the forthcoming tennis tournament are being received up to 5 p. m. to-day. At present the courts are closed, so that they will be in first class condition for the commencement of the tournament on the 29th.

SPENCER'S Another Big Sale of Blouses ON FRIDAY Eastern makers have lost heavily by the late Summer, and we have secured twelve cases of NEW BLOUSES at extraordinary reductions. Blouses at 50c, 75c, and \$1.00.

Friday Bargains in Silk ANNUAL SALE OF Laces, Embroideries, Gloves COMMENCES FRIDAY

Embroideries. 3, 4 and 5c qualities for 1c a yard. 10 and 12 1/2c qualities for 5c a yard. 15 and 18c qualities for 10c a yard. 25 and 35c qualities for 15c a yard.

Underwear. Light weight, suitable for the Summer weather that is bound to come next month. Two bargains for Friday, 18c. and 38c. each.

More Ladies' and Children's Hosiery Bargains. 35 Boxes Children's Plain and Ribbed Silk Hosiery, sizes up to 9 1/2 inches. The plain hose were 75c. and \$1.00 a pair. The Ribbed Silk Hosiery were \$1.50 a pair. FRIDAY, all at 50c. a pair.

Ladies' White Cotton Vests, long sleeves, FRIDAY, 15c. each. Ladies' Fancy Cotton Vests, were 15c. FRIDAY, 3 for 25c. Children's Cotton Vests, short sleeves, FRIDAY, 5c. long sleeves, FRIDAY, 10c.

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Ladies' White Skirts. Two special lines for Friday's Sale. Plain White Duck, good quality, new shape, 75c. White Pique Skirt, trimmed embroidery insertion, worth \$3.50, FRIDAY, \$1.00.

SAUNDERS' SPECIAL COFFEE. RAJAH, extra quality 50c. per lb. SAUNDERS' SPECIAL 35c. per lb. MYSORE extra quality 50c. per lb. PURE JAVA AND MOCHA 40c. per lb. THE FOUR BRANDS 35c. per lb. PURE NATIVE PORT, per bottle. Wellington, Deits or Eden Bank Butter; also Lipton's or Armour's Hams and Bacon.

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